

# Multi-Hazard Emergency Analysis Worksheet



*Identifying what hazards and emergencies you are likely to encounter in your area is important prior to developing your emergency and evacuation plan. Complete this checklist to assist you in planning. The examples are not exhaustive and are only to get you thinking!*

1. What types of hazards exist within my building (i.e., heavy furniture that could topple, blocked exits, ordinary glass in windows, etc.) and what could be the consequences?
2. What types of hazards exist outside my building or home (i.e., rivers or ponds, open wells, power lines, gas pipelines, dead trees, etc.) and what could be the consequences?
3. What types of hazards exist in my neighborhood (i.e., rivers and ponds, chemical plants, highways where chemicals are transported, flood plains, power lines, gas pipelines, nuclear plants, etc.) and what could be the consequences?

4. What type of weather extremes may occur in my region (i.e., thunderstorms, flooding, tornadoes, high winds, hurricanes, etc.) and what could be the consequences?
5. What health issues do my staff/children have (i.e., asthma, diabetes, allergic reactions, limitations in mobility, etc.) and what could be the consequences?
6. What type of hazards may occur in child care settings (i.e., missing children, intruders, etc.) and what could be the consequences?

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